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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS.

The following named persons have authorized me to announce their names as candidates for the offices specified, subject to the decision of the republican nominating convention:

FOR CONGRESS.
A. P. BANNON, Kendall Borough.

FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY.
JNO. E. CHAPMAN, Bradford City.

CALL FOR THE REPUBLICAN STATE CONVENTION.

The Republican state convention will be held in Harrisburg on Wednesday, April 30th, 1884, at 10 o'clock a. m. for the purpose of selecting delegates at large to the National Republican convention, nominating Presidential Electors-at-large, and nominating a candidate for Congressman-at-large, and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary.

The attention of county organizations is called to the following, adopted at the last meeting of the state committee:

"Resolved, That the state committee in the call for the state convention to be held at Harrisburg, April 30th, 1884, to select delegates at large to the National Republican convention, nominating Presidential Electors-at-large, and nominating a candidate for Congressman-at-large, and for the transaction of such other business as may be necessary, shall recommend to the several county committees that the basis of representation in the several county conventions to be held for the election of delegates to the state convention shall be one delegate for each 300 republican votes cast for Governor in 1882, and one additional delegate for a fraction of 300 votes exceeding 150 votes; and that the several county committees be requested to call their conventions so that they can meet not later than April 15th, 1884."

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"Resolved, That the several county committees be requested to meet on the day of the meeting of the state convention, at the hour of 10 o'clock a. m., and organize the state committee for the ensuing year."

The following are the rules adopted by the county committee:

The Republican National Convention of 1880 consisted of four delegates at large from each Congressional district and double that number from each State, and Territory, and the District of Columbia, and Delegates at large shall be chosen by the State Conventions, and Congressional and District Conventions shall be composed of Delegates and Alternates equal in number to the Representation of such Districts in the Congress of the United States.

Resolved, That the several County Conventions for the election of Delegates to the State Conventions shall be composed of Delegates and Alternates equal in number to the Representation of such Counties in the Legislature of this State, and that the Delegates and Alternates to the State Conventions shall be elected by the several Counties in the same proportion

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Methodist Episcopal Church.

Next Sunday being Easter, a sermon appropriate to the occasion will be delivered in the morning, and a sermon to young men at 7 30 in the evening.

Easter at St. Luke's.

The order of services will be as follows: First, celebration of Holy Communion at 8 a m. Children's hymns and carols at 10 a m. Second, celebration of Holy Communion at 10 30 a m., evening service at 7 30 p m. The choir will render appropriate selections of music in the services morning and evening.

Great Oil Production.

In 1873 the Bible published a paper read before the Bradford Literary Society, entitled "The Resources of Bradford Township." Embodied in the paper was the following paragraph which sounds rather curiously at this day

One oil production for the last year has exceeded 25 barrels daily at an average price of $1 20, making our oil product during the past year of panic and low at prices for oil $10,000. Next year the same quantity can be sold in advance now for $20 000, and it will be safe to contract $30,000 worth of drilling were prosecuted no further than at present

Mineral Localities.

Prof F G Spencer, of New York, a mineral director of large experience, has engaged a class in this borough for mineral instruction and practice. The gentleman has been engaged in conducting mineral exercises in surrounding towns and is preceded by a very high reputation. All of our mineral inclined young people and citizens have become interested in the institute and joined the class, and will take part in a grand concert to be given next Friday evening, the 18th inst. Classes will be held for instruction and practice every evening until that time except Saturday at the Baptist church

Will go to Chicago.

We heartily congratulate our genial townsman E. L. Keenan, upon his selection to represent the democrats of this congressional district as one of the two delegates to the democratic national convention at Chicago. There is not much [illegible] secretary point on the pension, but there is some honor from a democratic point of view, and the prospect of a heap of fun. If it was to accrue to the selection of a candidate who would for could be elected it would seem as like a mere empty honor, but then it is not every man who can be a delegate to even a democratic state convention, and it does be proud to have a Smethport man get there

The Amphions.

The Amphion Concert Company will give one of their excellent entertainments at the opera house Saturday (to-morrow) evening. The Auburn *News* says of the recent appearance of the company in that city

The Amphion Concert Company appeared in a matinee performance, at the Academy, this afternoon before a very large audience and to a remarkable programme. The Tenney family are the leading members of the company and they take rank easily with the Hadleburg family. The performances on brass instruments, by the children, particularly Master Frank, playing on the gigantic tuba are truly wonderful, while the sweet songs of Miss May and the comic sayings and pre-cocious character and singing of little Johnnie are most pleasing. The Nixon sisters in character sketches and solos and duets, Miss Biggie Bell in readings and sketches in amazonian are finely done and Charles W Davis, the blind pianist, is almost phenomenal in his performances

Their Spokesman Speaks.

The editor of the Philadelphia *Times* has been writing for information to the small democratic bosses in the various counties of this commonwealth. He wanted to know what is the democratic mood of the state upon the question of a presidential candidate and the tariff, and therefore applied to the chairmen of the county committees, who are supposed to hold the custody of the said alleged mind, within their jurisdictions. Nearly all responded, and among them our friend E. L. Keenan. He says that the McKean county democrats are for Randall as first, Tilden [illegible] dead from his eyes down") as second, and Hancock (the man who wrote foolish letters on the tariff question, but will "know more next time,") as third choice for president. As to the tariff question he says "they generally favor tariff with incidental protection, in preference to tariff for revenue only." There we have it in a nutshell, and our democratic friends are reliably informed as to what their tariff views are to be that year. Last year they were for "tariff for revenue," this year it is something else, and it is well to have some one to tell them just what it is to be, whether they understand the meaning of the ambiguous phrase or not.

Dear City Fathers.

The newly elected borough council met at the office of J C Backus on the third of last month, were sworn in and organized for the work of the year. The oath of office was administered to the burgess, J C Backus, by Judge Olmsted who in turn qualified the councilmen elect by the administration of the regulation oath then and there

The members of council and their terms of service are as follows

A B Sinclair, } Three years.
Chas. Sheerer, }
A L. Armstrong, } Two years.
John Brennan, }
W D Gallup, } One year.
Wm Hames, }

Francis Moore having been elected assistant burgess without any authority to the office, he was appointed by the board to that office and sworn in

The first regular meeting for business was held at the office of the burgess on Monday evening last, and the following resolutions offered and carried

Resolved, That A B Sinclair be and is hereby elected high constable for the ensuing year

Resolved, That Chas. Sheerer be and is hereby elected street commissioner for the ensuing year

Resolved, That H. L. Barlingame be and is hereby elected high constable for the ensuing year

Resolved, That Francis Moore be and is hereby elected assistant burgess for the ensuing year

Resolved, That the burgess appoint a committee on streets consisting of three members of the council to whom may be referred petitions for the opening, closing, widening or altering of streets alleys, etc., and make report at their next session.

The burgess appointed as committee on streets Councilmen Brennan, Barlingame and Armstrong.

A petition of sundry citizens praying that Green street be opened from Mechanic street to Pine street was read and placed on file, and it was

Resolved, That Green street from Mechanic street to Pine street be and they same is hereby ordered opened and for the public use.

Council adjourned to meet April 14th, at 7 p. m.

Spring Millinery.

Mrs. Nash is now in New York city purchasing her spring and early summer stock of millinery and other goods. New hats, bonnets, etc., will be on hand in time for Easter. Call and see the new goods.

GREENEWALDS' Leading Clothiers, 134 Main st. Bradford, Pa.

The Ancient Copperhead.

It is an impossible for a certain class of old time democratic editors to conceal their hatred of the boys in blue as it is for a rattlesnake to withhold its venom. Twenty years ago these skulking traitors in the rear were snarling at the heels of the government, reproving at heart over rebel victories, and despondent only when the union forces were victorious. The species is at this day nearly extinct, and it is only here and there that a specimen can be seen. He is as venomous at heart as ever, though usually remaining in a torpid state. He even manages now to be the most loyal of the loyal and to entertain a deep and tender regard for the dead and living heroes who fought the battles of the union and saved the nation from dismption. But his old hatreds are too deep seated and strong to be continually kept down and it needs but a slight provocation to stir up the torpid creature and provoke the old familiar hiss. As an instance, the G A R Post of Eldred, in this county, took the liberty of expressing their sentiments on the Fitz John Porter case as a recent meeting, by passing resolutions protesting against his restoration to the army and thanking Congressman Brown for his vote and action to prevent the passage of the bill. The editor of a democratic paper in an adjoining county, the *Emporium Independent*, makes the occasion of the Eldred Post the text for nearly a column of editorial, replete with sneers at the intelligence of that body and the choicest epithets from his inexhaustible vocabulary of abuse. The criticisms and abuse of the ancient resuscitation from the dead past is not of the slightest moment to any one. We only refer to it as an indication that despite all pretenses, the unborn hatred of the old time cross-roads, patent-sheet, democratic editor toward the boys in blue and all their acts is never dying, and will only expire when the animal is "too dead to skin." The editor of the *Independent* would no doubt like to see Porter restored, whether innocent or guilty. Indeed, we presume he would not object to see every regular army officer who deserted his flag, and drew his sword again st the government restored. The surviving soldiers think differently. Discounting from that body the votes of those who were aided in their rebellion against the flag by Porter's disobedience of orders on the field and congress would refuse to restore him. The members of the Grand Army of the Republic did not seek the approbation or love of the ancient copperhead twenty years ago, and they have no desire or use for it now

Store Hats nobby at Agen Greenewald's Bradford

Sunday Amusements.

There seems to be a large class of people in Bradford city who look upon the Sabbath day only as a holiday to be devoted to amusement and pleasure seeking. The proprietors of the opera house in that city are in my going men, and have no scruples against entering to the demands of this circle to unthinking element and have on various occasions opened their doors on Sunday evenings to questionable performances,—especially questionable for a Sunday occupation. The latest was a so-called spiritual seance last Sunday evening. About 300 persons men, women and boys were attracted thither and as was to be expected were made fools of by the fraudulent "medium" and his more worthless and disreputable manager. An average Bradford audience may be very intelligent, but when it will allow two such mountebanks and professional dead beats as Davenport and his manager to turn honest $10 clean money from its pockets for a single Sunday show it is not very creditable to its intelligence. The manager has been to Bradford before as manager of the filthiest and most obscene gangs of people who have disgraced even the Gem Theatre, and he evidently knows how to "work" a Bradford audience. Many of the victims have rushed into print with loud complaints against Wagner & Rees, the owners of the opera house. These gentlemen may not be blameless, but they are like all showmen—they want to give the public what it calls for and will pay for—and like many others, they, too, "are not there for their health" and are not engaged in missionary work. If 300 or 1000 people people in Bradford are crying for a Sunday show, Wagner & Rees will give them the best of the kind on the road, whether it is an "ex Rev." roller at religion, a spiritualistic medium or a traveling lecturer.

From Underwear, Greenewald's, Bradford.

Borough Lots.

In another column Mr L. Rogers offers for sale a number of very eligible building lots in this borough. It is but recently that these lots could be placed on the market, and they offer some of the finest sites for homes that can be found in the borough. The prices and terms are very reasonable, and persons of moderate means wishing to obtain homes of their own should improve the opportunity

Have Clothing Greenewald's, Bradford

New Shoe Shop.

Chas Baker has opened a shoe shop in the basement of the Kittredge opera house, where with good workmen and every facility he is prepared to fill orders in a workmanlike manner and at reasonable rates. He has first class workmen in the employ and will endeavor to deserve the patronage of the community. Give him a call. 16-w3.

Straw Hats, nearest Stocks, Greenewald's, Bradford.

Wonderful Growth of the G. A. R.

Colonel Beath, of Philadelphia, commander-in-chief of the Grand Army of the Republic of the United States, states the number at 335,000. In the last six months the order has gained 62,000. Large gains have been made in the western states. The gain there was due to a great extent to the migration of veterans to those states. Pennsylvania still has the head of the states, having about 413 posts. New York follows with 354 posts, but has a smaller membership than Pennsylvania. There are in the order about 4,000 posts, distributed all over America. Posts are rapidly being organized in Europe and elsewhere. The largest post is at Columbus, Ohio, and has over 1,000 members. The order during the last year dispensed $182,000 for charitable purposes, and has been efficient in building homes for soldiers, sailors, widows and orphans.

Never So Cheap Before.

Pistols, 25c to $1.00; revolvers, $1.00 to $10.00; rifles, $3.00 to $15.00; single shot guns, $3.00 to $20.00; double-barrel shot guns, $6.00 to $100 00; muskets, $2.00 to $4.00, and everything else in proportion. Send for illustrated catalogue. It is free. Great Western Gun Works, Pittsburg, Penn'a.

BRADFORD.

Layer Euthanasia has commenced to tear down his rebel building on the Public square, and will erect a larger and better one in its place.

The injunction applied for by the Consolidated Bottling company to prevent a rival firm—Woodbury & Campbell—from continuing business, was refused by the court Tuesday

Professor Stone has purchased $600 worth of chemical apparatus for use in the schools. The library in the new school house is fast being filled up with books and a number of newspapers are being placed on file

Wild ducks have made their appearance here and quite a number have been killed by sportsmen. There is a law against shooting them in the spring which was passed last spring but there doesn't seem to be many aware of the fact

The correspondent of the *Era* who reported the Clark murder trial remarked that the "case was being conducted in a gentlemanly and courteous manner, and not in the bulldozing and pettifoging way that some of our lawyers did at Smethport" or words to that effect. If the case had been conducted on the defense with a little more vigor and a little less of that "courteousness," Clark would had stood a good deal better chance for his life. A good lawyer would have saved his neck, or at least ought to on the evidence that was produced. The correspondent has, from our own knowledge had a little more of the law at Smethport than he desired.

Bradford people were badly fooled by a spirit "medium," who advertised to give a seance at the opera house Sunday evening. A large crowd went there and found that it was the sickest attraction that had ever visited Bradford. The only person that appeared on the stage was the star actor Davenport by name. After talking some and showing two or three tricks, all of which occupied about three quarters of an hour, he announced the close of the performance. Eight hundred more disgusted people were never seen here before and Davenport came within an ace of being mobbed. Only his fleetness of foot in getting to his hotel saved him

A coroner's inquest was held on the body of Thomas Ryan who died from injuries received by being thrown from an unmanageable hand car on the K. & P last week. Although some of the jurors were strongly inclined to censure the railroad company for not having a sufficient brake on the car as it was found to be very insufficient by the jury they were finally prevailed upon to let it go. One of the jurors remarked that it was only a dead Mick anyway. There is no doubt but what the company were very much to blame in the matter however, and that they knew it was evident from the fact that they had their attorney present at the inquest, and taking some part in it, as he certainly should not have done

The gymnasium association that was formed last summer could not be called exactly a success. It was started with a good deal of enthusiasm and about $500 were paid in to purchase the necessary apparatus but in a short time the treasurer skipped out and carried some of the money with him. It ran all right then for three months, when they were forced to move into new quarters. In a short time the members were shut out with out notice of any kind by the oil exchange janitor locking up the building. Why it was done no one seems to know, as there ought to be plenty of money in the treasury—enough certainly to pay the rent. If there is not some of the members would like to know where it has all gone to. A few of the members tried to get even with the concern by taking out some of the dumb-bells, Indian clubs, etc., and now the officers seem to have suddenly wakened up from their all winter sleep and propose to make those persons trouble

JUPITER.

Bradford, Pa. April 10, 1884

Norwich School Report

School No 2 closed its five months term April 3d 1884. Eight pupils in attendance. Conduct with few exceptions very good. School in session 105 days. Following are the names of pupils with the number of days attended

Hazel Gallup, 95, Jennie Gallup, 92, Nellie Evans, 91, Ralph Burdick, 97½, Luther Nixney, 89, Clair White, 72, Beddette Gallup, 75½, Bennie Windsor, 82½

NELLIE WALLER, Teacher

Early Marriages.

Hazleton Plain Speaker

It seems that a great many boys—for what else are they at the age of twenty or even twenty one?—are rushing into matrimony nowadays depending entirely upon their very small salaries for home comforts and the necessaries of life, never dreaming of the drawbacks in the shape of sickness, etc. This is eminently wrong. There should be a law requiring a young man to state before a court his ability to care for and support a wife if he married her. The fact of the matter is that business of more boys getting married should be stopped. Many and many a time, after marriage, they have hard work to support their family. They lose their situations, get ill, or something of the sort. Then they get into debt, never get out, live a hard weary life, and heartily wish they had never heard of marriage. Love is all very well, but one can't make three meals a day out of it, and it won't pay house rent and board bills. Some of the youngsters think only of the blissful future with no storms, no heavy expense and all that. We do not desire to discourage early marriages, but do say most emphatically that the young man who goes into this business had better understand the cost, responsibilities and tribulations. And when they can barely support themselves, it is nothing but ridiculous madness to tie themselves to others. If the young gentlemen will kindly roll a little of the above into their cigarettes, after dinner and smoke it, they will find it to set well

He Won't Do.

They were standing at the front gate. "Won't you come in the parlor and sit a little while, George, dear?"

"I—no, I guess" not, replied George, hesitatingly

"I wish you would," the girl went on. "It's awful lonesome. Father has gone out and father is up stairs groaning with rheumatism in both legs."

"Both legs?" asked George.

"Yes, both legs."

"Then I'll come in a little while."

Surveying and Conveyancing.

The undersigned is prepared to execute commissions to the line of his profession promptly and at reasonable terms. Orders solicited. Office in Backus building, with Dr. H. L. McCoy

JOHN HINE,
Surveyor and Conveyancer.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 28, 1880-1y.

COMMUNICATIONS

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A Teacher's Views on the Superintendency.

ED MINER—As the question of the election of superintendent is being so freely discussed at present, I think it advisable for the teachers of the county to express their opinion in the matter. I have heard the opinion of a great many of my fellow teachers, and with very few exceptions they are anxious for the re election of Mr Campbell. We claim in the first place that he, during the past three years, has discharged the duties of his office in a fair, impartial manner, that he has spared himself no pains or trouble in providing the best instructors for us at our institutes, and that he has labored faithfully to advance the educational interests of McKean county. We can't see any advantage to be derived by frequent changes of superintendents, as it takes considerable time to learn the abilities of the teachers and the conditions of the schools. Mr Campbell has served one term, and now thoroughly understands what is needed, and what material he has to work with. I understand there are some old fogy directors in the county, who are endeavoring to prejudice more enlightened ones against him, on the plea that he has refused certificates to applicants because of their religion or even in one case because the lady's father differed from him in politics. Of course this is too ridiculous to discuss. I do not agree with Mr Campbell on religious matters and if I were a man I would not belong to the same political party but I still claim that he is above all such narrow minded prejudices as he has been accused of, and I can vouch for the fact that there is no foundation for such reports. If anyone wishes to investigate the matter by examining the papers of the *deeply wronged* teachers they will doubtless be satisfied that there were very *valid* reasons for refusing them certificates. I for one am very anxious to see Mr Campbell re elected and in saying this I am sure I express the sentiment of the majority of teachers of McKean county.

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Notice

The following items are to be in my debt are respectfully requested to pay up at once. MRS. I. D. NASH

FOR SALE.

SMETHPORT

BOROUGH LOTS

The undersigned offers the following described lots in the Borough of Smethport for sale at

LOW PRICES

And will sell them on the following terms: Twenty five per cent of the purchase money to be paid at delivery of the contract and the balance in three equal payments in six twelve and eighteen month

The lots are situated on the east side of Water street. From the south corner to the corner in each square No 1 being the most southerly corner and No 4 being the most easterly corner

IN SQUARE 35.

Lots 1 and 4 facing on Main street, and Lots 5 and 8 facing on Water street.

IN SQUARE 36.

Lots 1 2 3 and 4 facing on Main street and Lots 5 6 7 and 8 facing on Water street

IN SQUARE 37.

Lots 1 2 3 and 4 facing on Main street and Lots 5 6 7 and 8 facing on Water street

IN SQUARE 67.

Lots 1 2 3 and 4 facing on King street and Lots 5 6 7 and 8 facing on Main street

IN SQUARES 45, 46, 47, 48.

Sixteen Lots facing on King street and sixteen Lots facing on Green street

IN SQUARE 24.

Four Lots facing on Green street and four Lots facing on North street four acres being on the east side of and facing on Main street bounded by lots of Mrs. Frank A D Hamlin's estate and S A Bishop Outlots facing on North street containing seven acres on which there is a valuable Stone Quarry for sale or to be leased separate. Also the

OUTLOTS

Lying between Water street and Marvin creek containing about twenty acres, the lots which the Bradford and Smethport railroad runs. These lots are well adapted for the location of manufacturing works and will be sold on the most reasonable terms

All information relating to Title and Prices of Lots will be given by the attorneys Messrs Morris & Apple Smethport, Pa

L. ROGERS.

Leadville Col March 20 1884

LEGAL.

Financial Statement.

ROAD AND BOND ACCOUNT OF SMETHPORT, SHERIDAN GORTON, Treasurer of Smethport Borough in account with the Road Fund of said Borough

	Dr.	
To balance due from ex treasurer Burlingame as per last audit		$ 870 55
To collections from ex treasurer Wright		40 05
To int on Burlingame bal collected		28 62
To amt rec'd from poundmaster		8 00
To amt rec'd from [illegible]		5 00
To amt duplicate borough tax collected	$ 1065 81	
To amt duplicate plot taxes (water tax 2 ½ mills)	40 00	
	339 55	
		$ 1445 36
To amt 5 per cent penalty added to delinquent duplicate		14 01
Balance due treasurer		53 39
		$ 1797 39

	Cr.	
By orders taken up and cancelled (road No 2)	$ 1352 53	
By orders taken up and cancelled (water	302 50	
By paid Minor for notices	4 00	
		$ 1669 03
By treasurer on on $ 1669 03 at 2 per cent		33 38
By discount 5 per cent allowed after prepayment of part of duplicate		82 94
By collection 5 per cent commission duplicate		14 70
By exonerations allowed		10 30
		$ 1797 39
Balance due treasurer		$ 55 39

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding orders	$ 41 50
Bal due treasurer	55 39
	$ 96 89

Sheridan Gorton Treasurer of Smethport Borough in account with Road Fund of said Borough

	Dr.	
To bal as per last audit against ex treas Burlingame	$ 243 85	
To bal as per last audit against ex treas Wright	85 30	
		$ 329 15
To int on Burlingame bal collected		28 00
To amt of duplicate		542 52
To amt 5 per cent penalty added to delinquent duplicate		5 54
		$ 915 17

	Cr.	
By bonds Nos 11 & 15 taken up and cancelled	$ 200 00	
By bond No 2 taken up and cancelled	400 00	
By int on same and other coupons	168 03	
		$ 768 03
By treasurer on at 2 per cent on $ 15 01		15 30
By discount of 5 per cent on $ 768 03 allowed for pre payment of [illegible] at		20 16
By [illegible] out lots		5 19
By exonerations allowed		5 07
Bal due [illegible]		100 36
		$ 915 17

LIABILITIES.

Outstanding bonds	$ 200 00
Int on outstanding	100 00
	$ 2108 00

Resources

Bal due [illegible]	$ 100 36
2ND COMMON } and 4 1ST RICHMOND }	1 00
Smethport, Pa. April 9, 1884—3	

Court Proclamation.

WHEREAS, HON. A. G. OLMSTED, PRESIDENT Judge of the 55th Judicial District composed of the counties of McKean, Elk and Cameron, and HENRY HAMLIN and P. MITCHELL, Associate Judges of the courts of Over and Terminer and General Jail Delivery, Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Orphans Court of said county of McKean, have issued their precept bearing date the 3d day of March A. D. 1884 to me directed for holding a Court of Over and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the Peace and Orphans Court, at Smethport, in and for the county of McKean, on the 2d Monday of April (it being the 14th day) A. D. 1884, and to continue one week.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to all Justices of the Peace, Coroners and Constables of the said county of McKean, that they be then and there in their proper persons at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their rolls, records, inquisitions, examinations and other remembrances to do those things which to their offices appertain to be done, and those who prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of said county of McKean are to be then and there to prosecute them as shall be just.

A. J. WILCOX, Sheriff.

Sheriff's office, Smethport, Pa., March 18, 1884.

List of Traverse Jurors

Drawn in the Court of Common Pleas of McKean county to be summoned for the 1st Monday of April, 1884

Allis Lyle—Norwich
Brown Fred L—Hamlin
Bolles E W—Smethport
Brown J A—Duke Centre
Beck W C—Kendall
Cole J F—Eldred
Crosby W F—Sweden
Carr H M—Bradford
Eastman John—Ceres
Eggleston Amos—Hamlin
Fuller [illegible]—Eldred
Fuller A H—Eldred
Ladue —Hamlin
Gibson—Keating
Gray Fred—Norwich
Gerlach C H—Port Allegany
Gunn Christoph—Norwich
Gerlach Jno—Port Allegany
Hagerty H M—Annin
Hinds F E—Kendall
Hixon C H—Richford
Knox C—Hamlin
Logan H Willis—Bradford
McManus J F—Kendall
Nyers Jos—Duke Centre
Powell Geo—Kendall
Payne John—Foster
Rodgers C A—Duke Centre
Stark Washington—Smethport
Tuttle, Frank—Keating
Welch, C F—Duke Centre
White J O—Liberty
Whitehead C B—Bradford

A. J. WILCOX, Sheriff
D. C. PATTISON } Jury Com'rs
E. J. CLARK }

Attest: W. D. GALLUP, Clerk.
Smethport Pa April 1st, 1884.

Trial List

For Third Monday of April, 1884

1 Henry Buzzo vs A Murray, V P Carter and T H McKeage doing business as T H McKeage & Co No 8 September term 1882 Appeal ordered to trial
2 Catherine Whalen by her next friend Patrick Martin vs Tim othy Whalen No 290 Sept term 1881 Feigned issue
3 Maud vs Ellis Reitz and Minnie Babney No 196 Dec term 1883 Assumpsit
4 Lizzie A Slocum vs the People's Savings Bank of North East No 307 December term 1883 Feigned issue
5 C Ritchie vs John Kingsley and W J Rood and Jno Simmons use the same and Sirele of Kingsley & Rood No 25 September term 1882 Lien claim
6 Henry Koester vs S W Vandorsall No 618 May term 1881 Lien claim
7 Henry M Noble vs heating township No 3 Dec term 1881 Lien claim
8 P H Jenkins vs L T Watson, W S Radure doing business as Watson & Radure No 365 June term 1882 Assumpsit
9 J Powers assignee of John P Zane vs S T Mehaffy, W C Frost & J Meals, J S Morrison and [illegible] Smith No 350 May term 1883 Case
10 Commonwealth of Pennsylvania vs Duncan Sutherland and D M Cook No 410 May term 1883 Sci fa on forfeited recognizance
11 Edward P Hughes vs Cyrus Davis and Wellington Lord No 359 Sept term 1880 Replevin
12 Alma Davis vs Orange Alfred W Coburn Wm S Johnson, David Miller, Lorenzo Langan H. Brown, W Skinner, Thos Parker Tas Anderson, Ed Dolliver J S Barlow, Wm Shattuck Jos Manley, Henry Liddy, Wm Pixley No 256 Sept term 1881 Case in trespass quare clausum fregit de bonis asportatis
13 Frank Ross vs N S Thomas and D E Smith No 3 Dec mber term 1880 Appeal
14 Wm H Hopkins vs G W Long and Charles Hamilton Exs & Sayles No 63 Dec term 1880 Appeal
15 David R Brunner and Nellie Brunner his wife in the right of Nellie Brunner vs A A Barnes No 66 Dec term 1880 Appeal
16 Lazarus Moyer vs A Humar No 31 February term 1881 Feigned issue
17 Morse Sigler vs Bradford Bowell & Smethport Railroad Company No — February term 1881 Assumpsit
18 Eva W Tufts vs H S Baker & Co No 61 Feb term 1881 Assumpsit
19 Alma Craig administratrix of Mary Carpenter administratrix of the estate of Almon Carpenter deceased vs John Dunn No 243 January term 1881 Fraudulent conveyance
20 H S Whitney and S A Wheeler co-partners as Warner & Wheeler vs Henry Schlesinger No 46 February term 1881 Appeal
21 Wm Hadsell vs Albert Brandt No 618 February term 1881 Foreign attachment Assumpsit
22 N S Jones vs S A Backus No 539 February term 1881 Ejectment for land in Smethport borough
23 Plumbley & Gould agents vs W P Book and H F Rhodes doing business as Book & Rhodes No 23 May term 1881 Appeal
24 W H Edwards and Frank Bell partners doing business as W H Edwards & Co vs Frank Dennison No 51 May term 1881 Appeal
25 D H Mitchell president in trust for the Bradford Iron and Manufacturing Bank of Titusville Pa. for the use of Hollis C B. Hopkins receiver in a purchase of H B Porter and David Emery et al vs John Brandt No 151 May term 1881 Trespass qur clausimpasit
26 Mary Bennett vs the United Pipe Lines No 32 May term 1881 Trespass
27 Frank Metcalfe and Mary McGahan his wife in right of Mary Metcalfe vs the city of Bradford No 225 May term 1881 Summons in trespass
28 N J Hilton and James A Waugh partners as Hilton & Waugh vs George A Porter No 392 May term 1881 Foreign attachment in assumpsit
29 N S Hilton and James A Waugh partners as Hilton & Waugh vs Hugh Geddes, A Baker and H P Mellon partners as Baker & Mellon No 31 September term 1881 Assumpsit
30 A Wyatt vs C W Seward, T P Wares, J A Foster, F H Hunt and Ralph Pet Dunn No 311 September term 1881 Assumpsit

J. B. BRAWLEY, Clerk.

Smethport, Pa., April 1st, 1884

Executor's Notice.

WHEREAS letters testamentary to the estate of Samuel P. Card, late of Keating township McKean county, Pa., deceased, have been granted to the subscriber, all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment, and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same without delay to

LAROY LYMAN, Executor.
Bonelle, Potter County, Pa.
Or to Morrison & Apple, his Attorneys, Smethport, McKean County, Pa.
April 3

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